

PRESS RELEASE



NATIONAL AGRICULTURAL STATISTICS SERVICE

United States Department of Agriculture • Washington, DC 20250 Northwest Regional Field Office • Olympia, WA 98507 Ag Statistics Hotline: 1-800-727-9540 • www.nass.usda.gov

Posted online September 30, 2019

Regional Contacts

Phone: 1-800-435-5883 Email: nassrfonwr@usda.gov

- Washington Christopher Mertz, NW Regional Director
- Idaho Randy Welk, State Statistician
- Oregon Dave Losh, State Statistician
- Alaska Sue Benz, State Statistician

All Wheat Stocks Stored in Northwest Region Up 1 Percent from September 1, 2018

All wheat stored in all positions on September 1, 2019 totaled 92.2 million bushels in Idaho, up from 83.0 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 3 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 37 percent compared to the previous year. In Oregon, wheat stored in all positions totaled 50.1 million bushels, up from 45.5 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 2 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 73 percent compared to the previous year. In Washington, wheat stored in all positions totaled 155 million bushels, down from 166 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 9 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 14 percent compared to the previous year. Nationally, wheat stored in all positions totaled 2.38 billion bushels, down from 2.39 billion bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 8 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 23 percent compared to the previous year.

Barley stocks in all positions on September 1, 2019 totaled 59.8 million bushels in Idaho, up from 48.6 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 8 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 35 percent compared to the previous year. In Oregon, barley stored in all positions totaled 1.77 million bushels, up from 997,000 bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 5 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 160 percent compared to the previous year. In Washington, barley stored in all positions totaled 6.22 million bushels, up from 4.69 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were up 20 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 65 percent compared to the previous year. Nationally, barley stored in all positions totaled 192 million bushels, up from 175 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 12 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 30 percent compared to the previous year.

Oats stored in off-farm locations on September 1, 2019 totaled 106,000 bushels in Idaho, down from 123,000 bushels a year ago. In Oregon, oats stored in off-farm locations totaled 228,000 bushels, down from 448,000 bushels a year ago. In Washington, oats stored in off-farm locations totaled 54,000 bushels, down from 66,000 bushels the previous year. Nationally, oats stored in all positions totaled 61.2 million bushels, down from 74.8 million bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 38 percent, while on-farm stocks were down 1 percent compared to the previous year.

Corn stored in off-farm locations on September 1, 2019 totaled 3.42 million bushels in Idaho, up from 2.19 million bushels a year ago. In Washington, corn stored in off-farm locations totaled 5.81 million bushels, up from 5.24 million bushels a year ago. Nationally, corn stored in all positions totaled 2.11 billion bushels, down from 2.14 billion bushels a year ago. Off-farm stocks were down 10 percent, while on-farm stocks were up 22 percent compared to the previous year.

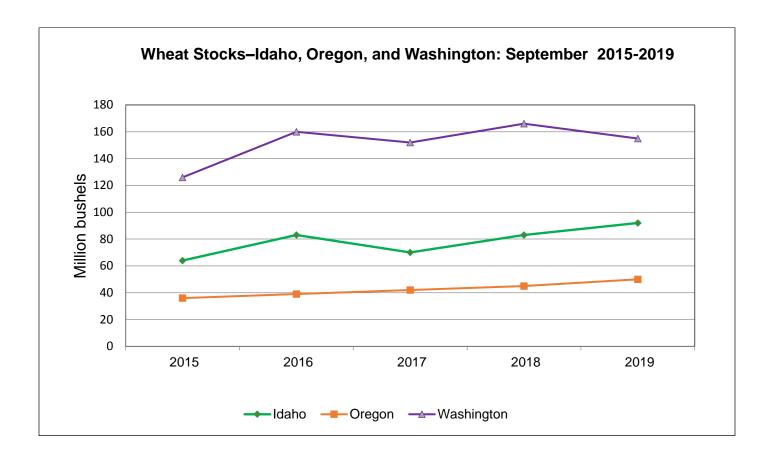
Grain Stocks by Position — Idaho, Oregon, Washington, and United States: September 1, 2018, June 1, 2019 and September 1, 2019

-	Idaho			Oregon		
Date	On farms	Off farms ¹	Total all positions	On farms	Off farms ¹	Total all positions
	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
All Wheat September 1, 2018 June 1, 2019 September 1, 2019	30,000	53,004	83,004	7,500	37,962	45,462
	9,800	18,833	28,633	1,200	9,401	10,601
	41,000	51,208	92,208	13,000	37,067	50,067
Barley September 1, 2018 June 1, 2019 September 1, 2019	27,000	21,614	48,614	500	497	997
	6,100	21,448	27,548	160	(D)	(D)
	36,500	23,255	59,755	1,300	473	1,773
Oats September 1, 2018 June 1, 2019 September 1, 2019	(D)	123	(D)	(D)	448	(D)
	(D)	70	(D)	(D)	148	(D)
	(D)	106	(D)	(D)	228	(D)
Corn September 1, 2018 June 1, 2019 September 1, 2019	(D)	2,188	(D)	(D)	369	(D)
	(D)	4,320	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	(D)	3,415	(D)	(D)	(D)	(D)
	Washington			United States		
	On farms	Off farms 1	Total all positions	On farms	Off farms ¹	Total all positions
	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)	(1,000 bushels)
All Wheat September 1, 2018 June 1, 2019 September 1, 2019	14,500	151,705	166,205	632,700	1,757,071	2,389,771
	1,800	46,421	48,221	206,545	873,216	1,079,761
	16,500	138,544	155,044	775,500	1,609,105	2,384,605
Barley September 1, 2018 June 1, 2019 September 1, 2019	1,300	3,393	4,693	91,350	83,456	174,806
	260	2,663	2,923	22,870	63,653	86,523
	2,150	4,067	6,217	118,430	73,114	191,544
Oats September 1, 2018 June 1, 2019 September 1, 2019	(D)	66	(D)	39,200	35,573	74,773
	(D)	37	(D)	10,500	27,314	37,814
	(NA)	54	54	39,000	22,216	61,216
Corn September 1, 2018 June 1, 2019 September 1, 2019	(D)	5,244 7,660 5,807	(D) (D) (D)	620,000 2,949,600 753,300	1,520,335 2,252,636 1,361,132	2,140,335 5,202,236 2,114,432

⁽D) Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual operations.

⁽NA) Not available.

¹ Includes stocks at mills, elevators, warehouses, terminals, and processors.



Access to NASS Reports

For your convenience, you may access NASS reports and products the following ways:

- All reports are available electronically, at no cost, on the NASS web site http://www.nass.usda.gov
- ➤ Both national and state specific reports are available via a free e-mail subscription. To set-up this free subscription, visit http://www.nass.usda.gov. Hover over the "Publications" drop down. Under "Receive reports by Email" section in the lower right corner, select the report(s) you would like to receive.

For more information on NASS surveys and reports, call the NASS Agricultural Statistics Hotline at (800) 727-9540, 7:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. ET, or e-mail: nass@usda.gov